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REFS: A. DIRECTOR 511359*

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1. FYI ONLY. IT HAS JUST COME TO OUR ATTENTION THAT DOMESTIC CONTACT DIVISION (DCD) IN JANUARY 1974 INTERVIEWED STEPHEN VAN CLEAVE, PRESIDENT OF INTELLIGENCE SERVICES, LTD, A PRIVATE FIRM, ON HIS PREVIOUS TRIPS TO ARGENTINA. THE MEETING RESULTED FROM VAN CLEAVE'S REPEATED REQUESTS TO MEET WITH DCD REPRESENTATIVES. VAN CLEAVE'S INTERVIEW DESCRIBED MAINLY HIS ACTIVITIES IN ARGENTINA TO ORGANIZE A SECURITY FORCE FOR COCA COLA. POUCHING STATION COPY OF REPORT.

2. DCD HAS BEEN BRIEFED ON POTENTIAL PROBLEMS FOR BUENOS AIRES (169) STATION INHERENT IN VAN CLEAVE AND COUNCIL FOR THE AMERICAS INVOLVEMENT WITH ARGENTINE FEDERAL POLICE ON MATTERS RELATED TO TERRORIST KIDNAPPINGS, AND IS ADVISING THEIR FIELD OFFICES TO AVOID CONTACT WITH VAN CLEAVE IN FUTURE.

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UH COMMENT: * REPORTED TRIP TO WASHINGTON, D.C. AND MIAMI BY VAN D CLEAVE AND TWO ARGENTINE POLICE OFFICERS.

**ADVISED THERE NO HQS TRACES ON VAN-CLEAVE WHO HAD STATED THAT HE WORKED FOR C.I.A. IN LATIN AMERICA UNDER COCACOLA COMPANY COVER, AND THAT HQS HAD NO INTENTION ANY USE OF VAN CLEAVE.

DCD/OSS: LILLIAN I. GRANT (TELECOORD)

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